Washington Delegation Unable to Get Definite Answer From Evangelist.

INVITATION IS TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT

Seventy-Nine Clergymen From Here Visit Philadelphia, But Fail

to Accomplish Object.

Special From a Staff Correspondent

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 10. Sunday today received a delegation of seventy-nine clergymen from Washington, who urged upon him to go to the nation's capital, but he declined o give a definite answer at this time He said he would take the matter un-

Mr. Sunday expressed great appre him from Washington, and apparently was greatly impressed by the represensations of the city's needs of revival meetings, as outlined by severa of the clergymen.

or the clergymen.

Dr. Clarence A. Vincent, paster of the Mount Pleasant Congregational Church, was the spokesman for the delegation. William Knowles Cooper, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., acted as joint leader with Dr. Vincent.

Even "Ma" Sunday Non-Committal

The delegation waited for more than half an hour for "Ma" Sunday, feeling that upon her wishes the decision of Billy" would rest in large measure She received the ministers pleasantly, out was very non-committal.

one of the strongest pleas made was that by Rev. F. J. Prettyman, chaplain of the United States Senate, who declared that he believed the coming of Mr. Sunday during a session of Congress would bring about untold good. He called attention to the number of congressmen who took an active interest in Billy's recent visit.

Rev. Dr. Butler, the only Lutheran minister present, spoke of the number of Lutherans now in Washington who wanted Sunday to come.

In his reply, Mr. Sunday spoke of the great wave which he said has swept over the entire Atlantic coast for evangelical" meetings.

The singing of hymns and the de-

The singing of hymns and the de-ivering of brief prayers by Revs. J. J. Muir, Clarence A. Vincent, W. L. Mc-Dowell and John C. Palmer featured the trip just after the train left New-irk, Del.

ark, Del.
Dr. Vincent in his prayer asked that even if Mr. Sunday decided not to come to Washington a revival "such as never hefore was seen there might be brought about through "the grace of God," and that both the nation and the capital might be converted to prohibition."
A testimonial is being prepared to be presented to John C. Letts, the layman who financed the trip.

Members of the Party.

Ministers in the party are Revs. J. J Muir, E. Hez Swem, J. E. Briggs, J. W Many, F. W. Johnson, E. M. Ramsey K. Stockehand, R. R. Riedel, H. F. Lutz George A. Miller, Walter A. Smith, C. A. Vincent, C. K. P. Cogswell, W. J. D. Thomas, C. S. Abbott, J. McBride Sterret, L. D. Clark, C. H. Butler, James L. McLain, John MacMurray, John E. Fort, G. Leroy White, C. E. Wise, J. R. Esaias, T. G. Owens, F. C. McCoy, W. R. Wedderspoon, William A. Haggerty, W. L. McDowell, D. H. Martin, S. T. Weaver, J. Paul Wright, Merritt Earl, A. C. Owen, C. S. Cole, M. F. Lowe, H. L. Hout, R. L. Fultz, F. J. Prettyman, E. L. Wolf, James S. Kibler, E. K. Hardin, J. J. Ringer, J. W. Balderston, Louis Randall, E. L. Beauchamp, A. E. Sexsmith, W. L. Hoffman, A. E. Barrows, S. A. Bower, Thomas E. Clark, George M. Cummings, T. E. Davis, Robert A. Davison, J. Harvey Dunham, William A. Eisenberger, Howard D. George A. Miller, Walter A. Smith, C

DOWNEY IS DISCUSSED FOR COURT OF CLAIMS

Controller of the Treasury Regarded as a Candidate to Succeed Howry.

George E. Downey, controller of the Treasury, is regarded as a candidate for the bench of the United States Court of Claims. He is mentioned as a possible successor to Associate Justice Charles Bowen Howry, who has announced his purpose to retire from the

Controller Downey, whose home is in Indiana, served on the state bench, and law be immediately closed was framed was appointed controller of the Treas- at a meeting of the Anti-Saloon League ury with the beginning of the present last night and will be laid before the administration, succeeding Controller Tracewell.

In the absence of a solicitor for the in violation of the law is specified in Treasury Department—a post that has the formal request. The list of places remained unfilled throughout the presincludes forty-five retail barrooms, alent administration, although an ap-pointee has now at last been named— has resulted in a burden of labor upon the shoulders of Controller Downey in ddition to his official duties as con

He has been informally special adviser to the Secretary of the Treasury, the controller of the currency, the federal reserve board, with all its intricate problems, and has been consulted in all activities of the Treasury Department.

CELESTINS

NOTICE

Regarding SPLITS

SPLITS have now been placed on the market and should be asked for at all first-class Bars and

REPLY MADE TO M'ADOO ON THE GRAND HOTEL

District Commissioners Respond to His Request for Statement

Investigation of the character of the and Pennsylvania avenue on government-owned ground, has been under-taken by the board of Commissioners and the police department of the Dis-trict of Columbia at the instigation of the Secretary of the Treasury. Secretary McAdoo directed the attention of the board of Commissioners, some time ago, to reports of improper conduct of the hotel, and asked for a statement of

As the hotel is on land in which the title vests in the government, Secre-tary McAdoo regarded himself, as cusodian, charged with responsibility to see that the property is maintained as a law-abiding, reputable place. He suggested in his communication that

suggested in his communication that if the conduct of the hotel was not in keeping with the standards of the community he was disposed to cooperate in the matter.

The hotel lease is an agreement renewed monthly. The Secretary of the Treasury would have the power to refuse this renewal.

The District Commissioners have forwarded a confidential reply to Secretary McAdoo, but would not discuss its nature today.

Gen. H. Oden Lake, National Commander, Issues Call for Meeting of Staff.

Gen. H. Oden Lake, national commander of the Army and Navy Union, today notified all members of the staff, resident of this and other cities, that an executive meeting with reference to the seventeenth biennial encampment of the organization, to be held here September 20 to 24, inclusive, will be held Friday evening in the gridiron room of the New Willard Hotel. At this meeting there will be a general discussion of the features of the coming convention, and an active committee of officers and members of the Army and Navy Union will be selected. Already two members of Gen. Lake's staff from Philadelphia have reached Washington. They are Col. John McCaffrey, national aid, and Capt. E. P. Dunlap. department adjutant general of Pennsylvania. Other staff officers from Baltimore, Norfolk, Old Point Comfort and Fortress Monroe are expected.

National Commander Lake last evening conferred with Judge Anson S. Taylor and Robert N. Harper with reference to the selection of the citizens' committees. ment of the organization, to be held

Military Pageants Urged.

Many communications have been reeceived at the national headquarters, 412 14th street northwest, relating to that during the convention dates there be given military pageants, features of be given military pageants, features of which will be American soldiers wearing the different uniforms used by the United States Army from the revolution to the present day. Another proposed feature is representations of the different types of soldiers of the world now engaged in the European struggle. A promised local feature is a company of young ladies, wives, daughters and sisters of former soldiers, sailors and marines, who will wear distinctive uniforms representing the Army and Navy Union and carry swords. This company of Washington "Amazons" will be drilled by a member of the organization, who is noted as a drillmaster.

Planning for a Float.

George M. Cummings, T. E. Davis, Robert A. Davison, J. Harvey Dunham, William A. Eisenberger, Howard D. Hannaford, Paul R. Hickok, Joseph T. Kelly, James T. Marshall, John C. Palmer, T. Davis Richards, George Robinson, Henry Reimor, S. H. Vail, T. Charles Thomas, Harvey S. Irwin, F. W. Lukens, H. B. Angus, Thomas Gordon and Charles E. Fultz and William Knowles Cooper and H. S. Omohundro, F. A. W. Manager Frank S. Hight of the New Manager Frank S. Hight of the New Union. On this float will be American soldiers, sailors and marines representing every branch of the service, and all wars and campaigns from the Mexican war to the landing of the American wa ican war to the landing of the American forces at Vera Cruz.

Manager Frank S. Hight of the New Willard today notified Gen. Lake that the hotel would be available for convention purposes from September 20 to 24, with rooms for encampment heaveuarters from June 1.

EXCISE BOARD ASKED TO CLOSE 86 PLACES

Anti-Saloon League Charges Liquor 3 Is Being Sold in Violation

of Law.

A request to the excise board that eighty-six places in the District where, it is alleged, liquor is being sold in violation of the Jones-Works excise

board tomorrow.

Each of the places claimed to be run includes forty-five retail barrooms, alleged to be within 400 feet of a church. chool, college or house of worship twenty-nine wholesale places declared to be in residence or non-residence ter-ritory, and twelve hotels said to contain which barrcoms are operated.

Preparing Formal Protest.

The formal request of the league is The formal request of the league is today being prepared by Attorney Alert E. Shoemaker. Comparisons are being drawn between the league's original protests against the various barrooms and the report of the Senate investigating committee, with a view to establishing in what instances the charges were sustained. A final ratification of the measurements made by the league of the distance between saloons and prohibited territory with those made by the District surveyor, as furnished to the Senate committee, is also being made.

Commenting upon the action taken by the league Andrew Wilson, president of the organization, expressed confidence that the excise board will take prompt action as a result of the

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who overcame the world, is the true function of the church. As a cure for the sordid selfishness of man, which is the cause of all of those social festerings which "social service" seeks to mollify, supernaturalism holds aloft a crucified Christ, despised by the world, but glorified by God, murdered by the world but raised to eternal life and alive for evermore. It bids man touch His radiant personality, in prayer, in tuality, who shares with that Christ

evoted her time to mending her lers' hosiery.

Chesterfield and Potatoes.

tribes against potatoes. January 2, 174'.

"I cannot say that your suppers are luxurious, but you must own they are solid; and a quart of soup and two pounds of potatoes will enable you to pass the night without great impais the constant diet of my old friends and countrymen, the Irish, who are the healthiest and strongest men that I know in F -ope."

10c Bottles of Ammonia. 4c for large size bottle (nearly 1 qt.) of House-

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of Household Ammonia, full
strength, for
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10c Chair Seats With This Coupon 4C THIS COU-

Hand Sapolio

10c Cakes of 6c THIS COUPON and 6c for regu-lar 10c size cake of Hand Sapolio, for tollet use.—

Store Hours: Open 8:45 a.m.; Close 5:30 p.m. "It Pays to Deal at Goldenberg's"

No Charge for Trimming Hats

Requa Manicure Sets,

Complete Manicure Set, for home use, consisting of box of Requa Nail Polish, Cloth-center Emery Boards, block of Tollet Pumice, Orange Stick and Buffer. Neatly boxed.

35c Coffee Pots With This Coupon THIS COUPON and 14c for reg-

eled Coffee Pots. 4-pint size; good

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Sewing Silk

Amazing Bargain Sale Event in NEW SPRING DRESSES

Our Free Hat Trimming Service is at your command—warge for trimming hats when materials are purchased here.

Millinery Dept.—Second Floor.

Choice of Values Meant to Sell Up to Eight

and Ten Dollars Offered Tomorrow at . . .

Just Think of It-Only Three Weeks Before Easter-When You Want a New Frock Comes This Wonderful Opportunity!



Tomorrow we present the biggest bargain event in Women's Dresses ever known—an offering of over Four Hundred High-class, Brand-new, Latest-style Models at a price so sensationally low that this selling occasion will be long remembered by every one who shares the tremendous values. Never before, right at the BEGINNING of the season, has it been possible to buy such stunning, smart and fashionable spring apparel at such savings-perhaps never again will it be your good fortune to know the equal of these marvelous bargains!

THE REASON OF THE SALE—Dull business with the manufacturers, canceled orders and the urgent need for cash. Knowing Goldenberg's immense outlet, the maker naturally sought us out to take over his entire stock of cloth dresses, naming a lump sum that doesn't begin to cover the cost of materials and making alone. THE RESULT-Bargains absolutely without parallel or precedent!

No need for you to pay a fancy price for your spring dress. Just come to Goldenberg's tomorrow and choose the dress you like from 12 different styles—every one brand-new, fresh and charming, in the very latest models, designed for spring and summer.

Dresses for Every Occasion, French Serge, Wool Crepe, Wool Poplin, Mannish Serge and the New Loose-Woven Fabrics

ORIGINALITY, the word that means the departure from the mediocre, fittingly describes the styles. The smartest and prettiest produced this season are represented.

ALL SIZES. 14 to 20 for misses and small women; 34 to 44 for women. SEE WINDOW DISPLAY.

hursday Sale Full of Inviting Opportunities

with patch pockets and stitched-on belt. Pants full lined and seams taped. Large variety of light and dark patterns, in neat plaids, stripes and fancy mixtures. Sizes 6 to 18 years.

\$6.50 Serge Suits, \$4.89

els with stitched beit and patch pockets. Full lined and taped seams. Made of American Woolen Co.'s pure worsted serge. Sizes 6 to 17 years.

Shoes, \$1.59

Women's High and Low Shoes, in the most approved styles, including the Smart Gray and Black Cloth-top and Leather-top Shoes; also Oxfords and Pumps, Colonials and Strap Slippers, of patent colt, gun metal, vici kid and velvet. Sizes 2½ to 8 in the lot.

25c

\$1 & \$1.25 Underwear, 49c

50c Unitee Suits, 25c

15c

12½c

Infants' and Children's Sample Stockings, including fine and heavy ribbed cotton, silk lisle and cotton, in black and colors. Seamless and full-fashioned feet, double sole, high-spliced heel and toe.

69c Bungalow

\$1.98

Crepe Nightgowns, 49c

long.

50c Corset Covers. 39c

yokes; sleeves finished with lace edge and rib-bon beading. Sizes up to

\$1.50 & \$2 Umbrellas, 98c

Women's Drawers, 27c Pair

Women's Soft Nainsook Drawers, made circular style, with French band, trimmed with embroidery ruffle. Clos

sonners, with embrou-ery rever, edged with lace and ribbon-run bead-ing; finished with hem-stitched ties. Sizes 12 to 16. Regularly 79c.

at \$1.49 New Spring Styles in Girls' Dresses, of sheer lawn, made in roundneck style, with set-in sleeves; fine tucked front and belt. Double skirt of fine embroidery. Sizes 6 to 14 years. to 14 years.

12½ Domet Flannel, 73/4c Yard
27 - inch White Domet
Flannel, fine, soft, fleecy
grade, for infants' wear.

\$1.75 Spreads, \$1.25 Extra Heavy Quality Marseilles Pattern Spreads; double-bed size; hemmed ready to use.

5c Yard Standard Quality Apron Ginghams, in fast colors; all the staple styles for spring needs.

10c Yard-Wide Percales, 73/4c Yard. 36-inch Percales, in new spring styles, including neat stripes, checks and figures on white grounds.

10c Dress Ginghams, 63/4c Yard Standard Quality Dress Ginghams, in a good as-sortment of stripes, checks and plaids.

39c Yard 50-inch Mohair Sicilian, highly lustrous quality, reversible and dustproof. In black, navy and gray.

\$1.75 Broadcloth, \$1.39 Yard 50-inch Satin-face Chif-fon Broadcloth, sponged and shrunk ready to use. Choice of black and all wanted shades for spring.

A Whirlwind Finish of Our Remaining Stock of Suits and Overcoats



Values Worth \$10, \$12 and \$13.50 to Be Closed Out Tomorrow at

Several hundred Suits and Overcoats in tomorrow's sale-the final clean-up that means sensational selling tomorrow and as long as a single garment remains from the lot. A five-dollar bill never bought so much clothing value -you can count upon making an actual saving of from \$5.00 to \$8.50, and with such advantages before you it will be wise economy to look ahead to next season's needs.

The Overcoats consist of all-wool materials, in neat grays, browns, fancy mixtures and gray chinchillas, in form-fitting, shawl collar and conservative models. Sizes 32 to 38 only.

\$2 Crepe Meteor, \$1.39 Yard

40-inch Imported Crepe Meteor, a heavy, rich, crepey finish, with highly lustrous face. In all the new spring shades; also white and black. 69c Seamless Sheets, 49c

81x90 Bleached Seam-less Sheets; strictly per-fect quality. Well known "Ironclad" brand. 59c Bleached Sheets, 35c

Double-bed Size Bleacher Sheets, made of good serviceable sheeting cotton with welded seam. Run of the mill. 19c Pillowcases, 11c 45x36 Bleached Pillow-cases, made of fine qual-ity, firm-woven cotton. Slightly imperfect.

styles, including dark mixtures, blues, grays, browns and fancy effects. Sizes 34 to 40 in the lot.

> \$1 Bread Boxes, 69c Heavy Japanned Bread Boxes, extra large size choice of oak or white.

> > \$1 Alarm Clocks, 49c Best American - m ad e Alarm Clocks, with heavy nickel - plate case and brass movements; an ac-curate timekeeper; fully guaranteed.

> > > \$3 Ash Sifters, \$1.98 Rotary Ash Sifters made of extra heavy galvanized iron; dustless and easy to operate. Saves its cost many times over.

\$2.50 Gas Iron, \$1.19 Peerless Nickel - plated Gas Iron, full size and weight. No screws to ad-just. Every one guaran-teed. Complete with tub-ing and stand.

50c Table Napkins, Six for 29c 18x18 Size Mercerized Satin Damask Table Nap-kins, with real linen fin-ish. Five neat patterns; ready hemmed. Half a

\$6 Crex Rugs, \$3.88

35c & 40c Crex.

27-inch White Nub Ratine, an attractive white material with rough, uneven surface— very smart and dressy for spring wear. 24 and 27 Inch Crex Carpet, for stair or hall runner; choice of plain or bordered greens, reds, blues and browns. Tape-

bound sides.

\$2.98 Roll Extra Heavy - weight Seamless China and 180-warp Japanese Mattings, strictly reversible and perfect quality. Sample perfect quality. Sample rolls, containing 20 yards each. Choice of carpet designs, stripes and checks of green, red, tan or blue.

121/2c Draperies, 71/2c Yard

grounds, with various color figures and border effects; also White Curtain Swiss, in stripes and figures. Full pieces—not remnants. \$1 Couch Covers,

59c Each Fast Color Belgium Stripe Couch Covers, 50 inches wide and 2% yards long, with fringed sides and ends. Natural linen color, red, green or white

\$1 Bed Pillows, 50c Each Extra Large Size Pil-lows, filled with sanitary crushed turkey feathers; made odorless by cold-

15c India Linon, 93/4c Yard

15c Rose Water and Glycerine, 9c

VICHY

Restaurants.

Boys' \$3 & \$3.50

Boys' Yoke Norfolk and Balkan Suits, of fancy cassimeres and cheviots,

50c & 69c Pants. 39c Pair

Boys' Knickerbocker and Bloomer Pants, of fancy cassimeres and cheviots, in neat, service-able patterns for school able patterns for school wear. Sizes 6 to 17 years.

Boys' Pure Wool Worsted Navy Blue Serge Suits, with TWO PAIRS of knickerbocker pants. Knife-pleat Balkan mod-els with stitched belt and

Women's \$2.50 & \$3

50c & 69c Underwear,

Women's Medium-weight Cotton Under-wear, in regular and ex-tra sizes; bleached only. Shirts and pants to match; in broken sizes.

Women's Bleached Cot-ton Union Suits, with high neck and long sleeves, high neck and short sleeves, and ankle pants. Regular and ex-

Women's 25c Hosiery, Women's Medium

weight Mercerized Lisle Stockings, seamless foot, double sole, high-spliced heel and toe. Garter top. Fast black.

25c Sample Hosiery,

sole, hi Aprons, 49c

New models in Bungalow Aprons, made of fine
quality percale, in checks,
figures and stripes. But-

ton-in-front style, with square neck, kimono sleeves, pocket and belt. Trimmed with bands of \$2.50 Long Kimonos,

Long Kimonos, of fine, lustrous silk swiss, in rose, lavender, Copen-hagen and navy grounds, with pretty floral effects. Sizes up to 46.

Women's Extra Quality
Crepe Nightgowns, in
light blue, pink and
white. Round neck,
kimono sleeves, trimmed
with narrow edge of
lace, finished with silk
ribbon. Cut full and
long.

Women's Corset Covers of fine quality, soft-fin-ish nainsook, with em-broidery and val lace yokes; sleeves finished

Men's and Women's Umbrellas, with covers of fine quality guaranteed rainproof American taffeta, with wide taped edge and close-roll paragon frames, complete with silk cases. All with high-grade sample hard.

Closed or open Babies' Bonnets, 59c Babies' White Mull Bonnets, with embroid-

Girls' Dresses

8c Apron Ginghams,

75c Mohair Sicilian.

The Suits are in an excellent variety of good serviceable

19c Flouncings, 10c Yard Shadow Lace Flounc-ings, 10 inches wide, in white and ecru color. Va-riety of effective designs.

Initial Writing Papers, left from our recent big purchase, fine quality linen stock, at 10c quire. 10c and 15c Linen En-velopes, 5c package. Wash Boilers, 88c Extra Heavy Quality Charcoal Tin Wash Boil-ers, with copper bottom and wood handles; tight

25c Stationery,

10c Quire

Heavy Galvanized Iron Washboards, with double rubbing surface; strong-Stepladders, 39c

fitting covers. No. 7 size.

45c Washboards, 29c

greens, as well as blue, brown or red. Perfect quality. Each rug with the Crex label and name woven in the binding.

25c Yard

22c & 25c Mattings,

Yard - wide Curtain Scrim, in white and ecru 50c Pongee Silk, 29c Yard

stripes.

40 - inch White India Linon, firm woven and serviceable quality of de-

75c White Ratine,

36-inch Silk Pongee, a beautiful silk-and - linen material, for street, afternoon and evening wear. Colors are: Light Blue, Copenhagen, Navy, Pink, Old Rose, Apricot, Coral, Mais, Lavender, Sand, Tan, Reseda, Nile, Olive, Cream, White and Black.

89c Faille Poplin. 59c Yard 36-inch Colored Faille Poplin, rich lustrous quality, in all street and evening shades; also black and white.

63/4c Yard

36-inch White Pajama Checks, a light-weight, sheer quality material, for lingerie and under-

19c Nub Ratine,

11c Yard

29c Rice Cloth,

16c Yard

40 - inch White Check Rice Cloth, a new and

distinctive weave, in

great favor for spring

\$1.19 Longcloth,

79c a Piece

12-yard pieces of Gen-uine English Longcloth; 36 inches wide; soft chamois finish, for spring

\$1 Chiffon Taffeta, 69c Yard 36-inch Black Taffeta Silk, soft chiffon finish, pure silk; wear guaran-teed,

20c Dental Cream. 10c "Peerless" Dental Cream, an excellent tooth paste.

2-ounce bottles of Ros Water and Glycerine, the favorite skin lotion.